

Table 1. Number and percent distribution of fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure, Nebraska, 1999

Event or Exposure ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	65	100
Transportation incidents	33	51
Highway	17	26
Nonhighway (farm, industrial premises)	7	11
Assaults and violent acts	6	9
Contact with objects and equipment	17	26
Falls	4	6
Fires and explosions	3	5

¹ Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Structures.

Note: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding. Major categories that do not meet publication criteria are not shown.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, in cooperation with states and federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries, 1999.

Table 2. Number and percent distribution of fatal occupational injuries by selected characteristics, Nebraska, 1999

Characteristic	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total:	65	100
Employee status		
Wage and salary workers	41	63
Self-employed	24	37
Sex and Age		
Men	59	91
Women	6	9
Age:		
20 to 24 years	6	9
25 to 34 years	10	15
35 to 44 years	17	26
45 to 54 years	16	25
55 to 64 years	9	14
65 years and over	5	8
Race		
White	62	95
Hispanic	3	5

Note: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding. Major categories that do not meet publication criteria are not shown.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, in cooperation with states and federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries, 1999.

Table 3. Number and percent distribution of fatal occupational injuries by major industry, Nebraska, 1999

Occupation ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	65	100
Managerial and professional specialty	4	6
Service occupations	3	5
Farming, forestry, and fishing	19	29
Precision production, craft, and repair	15	23
Operators, fabricators, and laborers	22	34

¹ Based on the 1990 Occupational Classification System developed by the Bureau of the Census.

Note: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately. Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding. Major categories that do not meet publication criteria are not shown.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, in cooperation with states and federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries, 1999.

Table 4. Number and percent distribution of fatal occupational injuries by major industry, Nebraska, 1999

Industry ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total:	65	100
Private Industry	56	86
Agriculture	20	31
Construction	6	9
Manufacturing	5	8
Transportation and public utilities	13	20
Trucking and warehousing	9	14
Services	7	11
Wholesale Trade	4	6
Government	9	14

¹ Standard Industrial Classification Manual, 1987 Edition.

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Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, in cooperation with states and federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries, 1999.